

Application Serial No. 10/807,479  
Response to Final Office Action

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT  
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Takao TSURUOKA, et al.

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as a Petition for the requisite  
extension of time, and to the  
extent not already paid,  
authorization to charge the  
extension fee to Account  
No. 06-1378. In addition,  
authorization is hereby given to  
charge any fees for which  
payment has not been submitted,  
or to credit any overpayments,  
to Account No. 06-1378.

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

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This is responsive to the Final Office Action mailed  
January 2, 2008 the term for response to which expires on  
April 2, 2008.

**Amendments to the Claims** are set forth in the listing of  
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. Claim 1 is amended;  
claims 2, 3 and 5 are maintained; and claim 4 is canceled.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.